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Applicant: Weiqun Yang  
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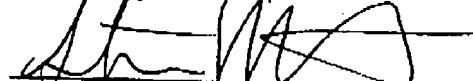
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x	No additional fee for claims is required.	
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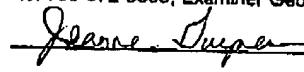
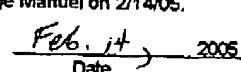
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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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